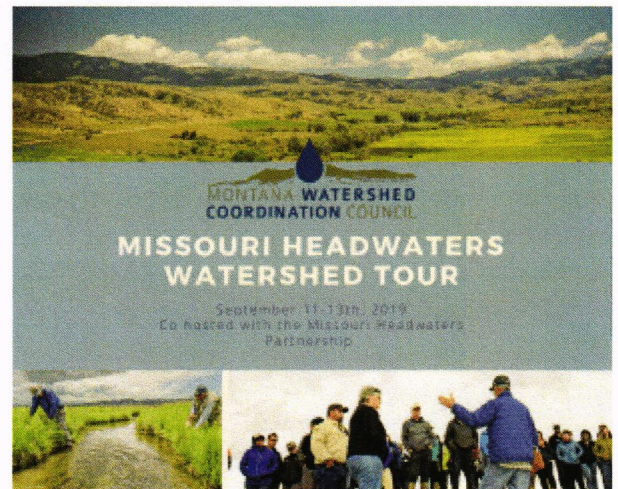


Join the Montana Watershed Coordination Council and Missouri Headwaters Partnership on a tour highlighting the watershed approach to natural resource management. In the Missouri headwaters, local organizations are actively navigating the changing landscape on which their communities rely.

The Missouri Headwaters Partnership is a coalition of local watershed organizations across the basin, including: Beaverhead Watershed Committee, Centennial Valley Association, Gallatin River Task Force, Greater Gallatin Watershed Council, Jefferson River Watershed Council, Madison Watershed Partnership, Ruby Valley Conservation District/Ruby Watershed Council, Big Hole Watershed Committee, and Lower Jefferson River Watershed Council,

What to expect:

- View successful projects that have improved watershed health,
- Learn about community driven natural resource plans and priorities,
- Observe initiatives that build landscape resiliency,
- Hear from the local watershed champions that are pushing for sustainable communities,
- Discuss the statewide implications of local challenges and opportunities for water management.



Who should attend?

- Interested community members
- Water policy decision makers
- Statewide and local natural resource professionals
- Supporters of community based conservation

Agenda Overview

September 11th

12:00p Tour Overview
(Butte)

Big Hole (Divide)
*Range Health & Natural
Water Storage*

Beaverhead (Bannock)
Water Quality & Habitat

Centennial Valley
*Water Quality, Habitat
Management, Agriculture,
Open Space*

September 12th

Ruby
*Drought & Adaptive
Management, Habitat*
Madison (McCallister)
*Easements, Range Health, and
Development*

Upper Gallatin
*Drought & Community Water
Forum, Development*

September 13th

Jefferson (Caldwell)
*Aquatic Invasive Species,
Stream Gages, Drought,
Development and Climate
Change*

Lower Gallatin (Bozeman)
Water Quality & Development

12:30p End